## Proclamation

## By Mayor and Council - Township of North Brunswick

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Services presents a Youth Service Award in recognition to a student serving the community of North Brunswick through acts of volunteering, demonstrating leadership skills and positive attitudes towards their peers and community; and

WHEREAS, Aabir Banerjee is a student at Central Jersey College Prep Charter School with a 5.0 GPA enrolled in AP and college level Chemistry I & II with lab, AP Biology, AP Computer Science, AP Human Geography, AP Seminar, AP English Language Arts and Composition, College Statistics, College Calculus, College Human Biology and AP Research (focus on Health Literacy); and

WHEREAS, Aabir is a member of the North Brunswick Township Youth Alliance Committee, serving on special projects and programs throughout the year, with special focus in education of Domestic Violence. Aabir has created awareness videos with his peers that provide direct statistics regarding the prevalence of domestic violence and symptoms in social settings. Aabir worked with his peers enhancing education awareness on combatting illegal use of drugs in our community, especially with teens, with a focus mental health issues; and

WHEREAS, Aabir has served in many internship programs. These include Wells Fargo, STEM and Machine Learning, The US Navy STEM, The Rutgers University Waksman Student Scholars Program, Rutgers Entrepreneurship Leadership Program, Rutgers PHOENIX Program and UPenn Medicine – Shadow Head of Pulmonary and Critical Care surgeon and residents to share a few of his highlighted experiences; and

WHEREAS, Aabir has received the Sue Berlin Award as well as being named to the Principal's list, Dean's list, highest honors and National Honors Society. He speaks Spanish, Hindi, Bangla and French. Aabir wishes to further his education with a focus on the sciences.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, the Mayor and Council of the Township of North Brunswick, Do HEREBY PROCLAIM, the respect and admiration of the community of North Brunswick to Aabir Banerjee, and present him with the Youth Service Award.

Francis M. Womack III

Mayor

Lisa Russo, Township December 18, 2023

Rajesh Mehta Council President

Lou Ann Benson

Director of Parks, Recreation and Community Services